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SUBJ: SAMIA IRON ORE PELLETIZING PLANT

REF: STATE 86302 (NOTAL)

1. APRIL 15 ISSUE OF MAURITANIAN GOVERNMENT SPONSORED DAILY NEWSPAPER CHAAB REPORTS THAT LETTERS OF INTENT TO SIGN 135 MILLION DOLS. CONTRACT HAVE BEEN EXCHANGED IN TOKYO BETWEEN SAMIA AND JAPANESE COMPANY KOBE STEEL LTD. FOR CONSTRUCTION OF IRON ORE TREATMENT FACTORY AT NOUADHIBOU. BRIEF ARTICLE BASED UPON REUTERS DISPATCH STATES PLANT WILL PRODUCE TWO MILLION TONS OF ORE PELLETS PER YEAR AND WILL BE OPERATIONAL BY 1981.

2. COMMENT: SAMIA SOURCES HAD KEPT NEGOTIATIONS VERY CLOSE TO CHEST, TELLING EMBOFF AS LATE AS APRIL 13 THAT NO CHANGES HAD ONIRRED IN INACTIVE STATUS OF PROJECT, AND NONE WOULD BE UNTIL AFTER BOARD MEETING IN EUROPE. SOCIETE NATIONALE INDUSTRIELLE ET MINIERE (SNIM) DIRECTOR-GENERAL HAD ALSO RECENTLY EXPRESSED DOUBTS ABOUT FEASIBILITY OF PROJECT. KRYZA

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